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## Sun Spots

### Firefighters to sponsor "MDA Boat Drive"

Belle Glade Firefighters will be passing the boat on Thursday, Aug. 27 and Friday Aug. 28 from 4 to 8 p.m. and again on Saturday, Aug. 29 from noon until 8 p.m. at Winn Dixie and U-Save Supermarkets.

The firefighters will be raising money for Muscular Dystrophy research and cures.

Fire Chief Stephen R. Rice said, "I would like to thank the citizens of our community for caring enough to make this a very successful event in the past and would like to encourage the community's assistance once again."

### Open house at Lake Shore

Open house will be held at Lake Shore Middle School on Tuesday, Sept. 8 at 6 p.m. Parents are encouraged to attend and meet their child's teachers and the new assistant principals.

For further information, please contact the school at 993-4046.

### Absentee ballots available at city hall

Absentee ballots for the upcoming Belle Glade General Election, Sept. 15, are available at the city clerk's office at Belle Glade City Hall from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Remember, your vote counts, so be sure to cast your ballot in the upcoming city election.

### Workers, actors sought for drama

The First Baptist Church of Belle Glade will be hosting and presenting the compelling drama

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SUNPHOTO by Brenda Bunting

**BOXED IN...** Patrons at the Belle Glade Post Office found their post office boxes moved this week due to renovations at the facility. Postmaster Johnny Johnson said a trailer has been set up for box customers and will be open from 11 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday. The trailer will be closed on Sunday. "We appreciate your patience as we work to provide an enlarged and more convenient postal facility for us all," said Mr. Johnson. Postal customer Melissa Watson is shown checking her mail after finally finding her box in the trailer, located at the west side of the post office.

## Farm Family of the Year will be announced at Sept. 22 banquet

The coveted Farm Family of the Year award will be given to one lucky Glades family during the annual Western Palm Beach County Farm Bureau Banquet on Sept. 22 at the Doley Hand Cultural Arts Center. A social hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. and dinner will be served at 7 p.m.

Commissioner of Education, Frank Brogan, will be the featured speaker at the banquet. Commissioner Brogan has a B.A. in Education from the University of Cincinnati and a Master's Degree in Administration/Supervision from Florida Atlantic University.

He and his wife, Mary, also a lifetime educator, were high school sweethearts and have been married 21 years. They

lived in Stuart for 18 years before moving to Tallahassee in January of 1995.

During his first year as Commissioner of Education, Mr. Brogan kept his promise to downsize the Department of Education bureaucracy, which today is 40% smaller than in 1994.

In May 1996, the State Board of Education unanimously adopted the new Sunshine State Standards, which were developed by the Brogan Administration with the input of teachers, parents, administrators, business people and concerned citizens.

In 1996, Commissioner Brogan led the passage of Florida's first charter school law and a law requiring all 67 Florida

school districts to create a plan to offer open enrollment among public schools. The state currently has 34 public charter schools in operation, with at least 30 more expected to open in the fall of 1998.

In September of 1997 Commissioner Brogan was elected by his peers to serve as Chairman of the Education Leaders Council, a national network of Chief State School Officers and State Board of Education members dedicated to significant education reform.

Tickets for the annual Western Palm Beach County Farm Bureau Banquet are \$15 each and can be purchased by calling Beth Painter at the Farm Bureau office, 996-0343.

## Politicians campaigned for votes at Sunday's Glades Candidate Forum

By Brenda Bunting  
Editor

What do you do with a room full of politicians? Well, if you invited them there to debate issues, you would turn them loose and have the making of the first Glades Candidate Forum.

A three-hour forum was held Sunday, Aug. 23 at Glades Community Development Corporation in Belle Glade. Political candidates ranging from the Belle Glade City Commission race to the office of Secretary of State were represented.

Moderator Virginia Martin allowed each of the candidates three minutes to make an opening statement and then answer questions from the audience.

Another Candidate Forum is planned for October 10 to give voters the opportunity to meet with the candidates up for election in November.

Those in attendance at Sunday's forum included Karen Gievers, Democratic candidate for Secretary of State; Ron Howard, Democratic primary candidate for the office of Commissioner of Education; Olivia Bailey Simmons, Democratic primary candidate for State House of Representatives, District 84; Sue Foreman, Samuel Thomas and Anna Noe, primary candidates for Palm Beach County Court Judge, Group #8; Beth Boynton, Republican candidate for County Commission, District #6; and Mimi McAndrews, Democratic candidate for District #6; School Board District #2 candidates Paulette Burdick and Beverly Green; School Board District #4 candidate Mike Rios; School Board District #5 candidates Tom Lynch and Rosalind Murray; School Board District #6 candidates Michael Gelfand, Art Johnson and Diane Heinz; Port of Palm

Beach, Group #5 Jean Enright, Priscilla Taylor and Douglas Mitchell, Democrats; Belle Glade City Commission, Seat A candidate Ron Snyder; Belle Glade City Commission, Seat B candidates Dan Herring and Mary Wilkerson.

All three candidates in the Belle Glade City Commission race mentioned the shake up in management at city hall.

Incumbent Dan Herring said he would like to stay on the commission and help in the selection of a new city manager.

Ms. Wilkerson said, "This is not the first time the city has been in trouble. They've been in trouble before, but never came to light."

The first primary election will be Sept. 1 with the second primary set for Oct. 1. The Belle Glade City election will be held Sept. 15, and the general election will be November 3.

## Coleman arrested on murder charges

By Jennie M. Sears  
Staff Reporter

Idris Coleman, 23, was arrested last Wednesday and charged with murdering a Canal Point man.

Fernando Lopez, 27, who worked at a convenience store in Canal Point, was shot in the back while walking home after closing the store. Within ten minutes of leaving the store, Lopez was killed.

Neil Boris, a Pahokee witness, said that on August 11 after 11:30 p.m. he was driving south on U.S. Highway 441 in Canal Point and heard two gunshots. He said he then saw a person fall into the roadway. He applied his brakes and swerved to avoid the body at the same time noticing that the person was wearing a red garment. When Lopez was found by Sergeant Lopez he was wearing a red smock. Boris immediately told his girlfriend and a friend over the C.B. radio about the incident. Later he gave a sworn statement to the sheriff's office.

An autopsy performed by Dr. Sierbert of the Palm Beach County Medical Examiner's Office, found that Lopez died as a result of a single gunshot wound through the upper back causing trauma and passing through the victim's chest. He then ruled the incident a homicide.

Several days later sheriff's officials interviewed Iya Walker, Coleman's girlfriend and live-in partner for several

months. She told them she had been Coleman's girlfriend for six years. She continued to tell police that on August 11 she and Coleman were involved in a dispute and Coleman told her he was going to get a gun, which he did get. Later that night he took the gun, a loaded magazine and Walker's car and left the residence in Belle Glade.

In the early morning hours Coleman returned to the Belle Glade residence and awoke Walker to tell her he had done something bad. "He told me that he had shot a man in the back," said Walker. When Walker questioned about the location of the shooting, Coleman responded saying Pahokee. Coleman instructed Walker to not use her car to avoid any trouble with the police. After interviewing Walker, she gave police two pistol magazines each loaded with live 9 millimeter cartridges.

Statements made to officials by Walker and Boris were consistent with the investigation. Also bullets at the scene matched the markings of the magazines given to police by Walker.

During interviewing, Coleman told detectives an unidentified man shot Lopez. He admitted to making statements about the murder to his girlfriend, Iya Walker, but stated he said those things just to scare her.

Coleman is in custody and is being held without bond.

## Police say new sexual predator living in town

Belle Glade Police want citizens to be aware that a registered sexual predator is living in the northwest section of town.

Richard Wayne Wilson, 65, is living at 150 N.W. 3rd Street, Terrace #21, Belle Glade.

Wilson has been convicted of two counts of lewd and lascivious acts upon a child under the age of 16. He is a white male with white hair. He has blue eyes and is 5'7" tall. He weighs 141 pounds.

A law which went into effect this year requires police to let citizens know when a known



Richard Wayne Wilson  
sexual predator moves into an area or changes addresses within the town.

## Arrest made in two separate stabbings

On Saturday, August 22, police say Shaking Tonya Webb, 20 of Belle Glade, jumped out of her car and stabbed Shaqueanna West twice in the chest.

Earlier that day police say Webb and West had fought and West had bitten Webb on the cheek.

During the second attack police say West fought back with a kitchen knife or ice pick. Webb was not seriously injured.

Sunday night West was in serious condition at St. Mary's Medical Center while Webb was at the Belle Glade Jail being held with

out bail on charges of attempted first-degree murder.

Only an hour later, on Saturday, police arrested Clarence Jones, 48, for stabbing Willis Lewis, 36, once in the lower back. Police say that Lewis was upset because earlier that day Jones had called the police about barbecue smoke that had reached his apartment complex.

Sunday night Lewis was in fair condition at St. Mary's Hospital. Jones was arrested on charges of aggravated battery with a deadly weapon and was later released.



**A DIFFERENT LOOK.** The newly renovated bridge over the Rim Canal at Torry Island has a new look and a safer feel. The bridge is a landmark in the area and has been in place many years.

## 66% chance of an intense hurricane

By Mike Lyons

The comment caught me by surprise. Dr. William Gray, the famous hurricane forecaster, was patiently answering reporter's questions at an impromptu news conference during the Governor's 1997 Hurricane Conference in Tampa.

Most of what Gray was saying - his prediction for the '98 season, his feeling that more active hurricane seasons are just around the corner - I had heard before. Then, he said something unexpected: "Next year I hope to issue predictions of where a hurricane will make landfall."

Last week, Gray made good on his promise and no one is very happy about it.

Using a new statistical formula, Gray said there is a 66 percent chance of an intense hurricane striking somewhere along the U.S. coastline this year. The new model divides the Gulf and Atlantic coastlines, from Brownsville, Texas to Eastport, Maine, into 11 major segments and predicts landfall probabilities.

For example, Gray said Miami faces a 3.3 percent probability of an intense hurricane (111 mph winds or higher) striking this year. Houston has a 2.5 percent probability. New Orleans 2.4%. Charleston 1.6% and New York 0.9%.

Yet, Gray said people living from Ft. Pierce to the Georgia/South Carolina border are not likely to get hit by a major



Mike Lyons

storm. In fact, according to Gray's new model, the area has a 1.9% probability of being struck by any size hurricane or tropical storm this year.

The reason you don't have storms landfalling there is because there are no trade winds coming in from the east at the point," said Gray. "The storms typically recurve and parallel the coast in these areas."

It's true that not one intense storm has struck the region this century. Hurricane Erin, a weak category one hurricane, came onshore near Vero Beach in 1995. Hurricane David, a category two storm, paralleled the coast in 1979.

Still, Gray's prediction has officials at the National Hurricane Center (NHC) concerned. "He may be causing people to reconsider their preparations," said Jerry Jarrell, the director of the NHC.

Gray is essentially saying that residents of Ft. Pierce, Vero Beach, Melbourne, St. Au-

gustine, Jacksonville, and Savannah, Georgia don't need to worry about a major hurricane this season.

Obviously that's not true and I'm convinced that was not Gray's intent. What he is trying to do is to answer the question that everyone keeps asking: Am I going to be hit by a hurricane this year?

It's a question that has been asked for decades and it's a question that can't be answered with any certainty.

The sophisticated computer models at the NHC, which are getting better each year, have a devil of a time figuring out where today's storm will end up tomorrow, let alone what may be happening months from now. Tropical Storm Alex is a good example.

The weak storm developed off the coast of Africa during the last week of July. As it moved steadily across the Atlantic, the NHC predicted it would become a hurricane. Less than 24 hours later, Alex was gone - ripped apart by strong upper level winds.

Dr. Gray's new formula may be useful in years to come but if you live along the coastline you need to prepare for a hurricane, especially now, during the heart of the season.

Don't let the weather surprise you.

*Mike Lyons is the chief weatherman at WPBF-TV*

## • Save Our Rivers •

By Twila Valentine

In the 15th part of this series, we continue looking at the individual projects contained in this planning document, concentrating on the various projects associated with the Kissimmee River Restoration Project. These projects are included in the South Florida Water Management District's 1994 Land Acquisition and Management Plan.

It includes all the individual projects planned and which cover the district's 16-county area.

### • Loxahatchee River

The Loxahatchee River project is in Martin and Palm Beach counties and covers nearly 2,000 acres. The site is south of and adjacent to Jonathan Dickinson State Park. The Florida Turnpike and I-95 bisect the property in two places. The property includes the historic floodplain of the Northwest Fork of the Loxahatchee River, a National Wildlife and Scenic River.

Preservation and enhancement of the outstanding natural and cultural values of Florida's only federally designated Wild and Scenic River are the primary goals of the management program. Permanent protection and enhancement of the river will be accomplished through land acquisition, effective resource management, regulation of the river corridor, a law enforcement presence, local government land use controls and volunteer support.

The district's vision for the water resources of the river include: maintaining surface water and groundwater flows to the Northwest Fork; increasing minimum flows to the river as much as possible to affect downstream movement of the saltwater wedge during dry conditions; and, maintaining

existing water quality in the river by eliminating identified water quality problems when possible.

### • Loxahatchee Slough

This project lies in Palm Beach County and covers more than 14,000 acres. It is a mix-

## Fifteenth in a series

ture of habitats, including pine flatwoods, cypress forest and wet prairie. It is presently used as native range. There are several sandhill crane nests with in the isolated wetlands.

Agricultural use has impacted the site over the years. It has been in row crops but is now mostly unimproved pasture, which is heavily infested with exotic vegetation.

The sandhill crane site presently drains to the north and into the west leg of the C-18 canal. During heavy rains, runoff enters the canal and causes drainage problems in adjacent housing developments. The district has to divert these waters into the Loxahatchee River. Acquisition of the site will permit the district to relieve the flooding problems and allow this water to go into the river.

Palm Beach County has already acquired the majority of the project site and will be the lead manager, but the district will likely retain the responsibility for the hydrologic function.

### • McDaniel Ranch

This 7,000-acre project is located in Hendry County and is adjacent to the Big Cypress Seminole Indian Reservation. The total ranch is nearly 23,000 acres, but the district is

interested in acquiring the smaller portion as a conservation easement and would include the lands not required for the surface water management system. The easement would grant the McDaniel family the rights to timber management, cattle grazing, lease hunting, and ecotourism.

The district is not acquiring public-access rights as part of the easement so there will be no opportunities for public use.

### • Model Lands Basin

This is a project located primarily in southern Dade County, with a portion extending into Monroe County and covers over 42,000 acres.

The area includes a variety of habitats, both freshwater and estuarine. A corner of the property has been invaded by Australian pine and Brazilian pepper, a great majority is exotic-free. Most of the site is undisturbed fresh and salt water wetlands. The dominant freshwater habitat type is wet prairie, interspersed with tree islands. Vegetation includes red bay, dalhoon holly, copalum and buttonbush in the freshwater upland islands, and red, white and black mangroves in the estuarine islands.

These lands form a contiguous habitat corridor with Everglades National Park, Southern Glades SOR project, Biscayne National Park, Crocodile Lakes National Wildlife Refuge, the north Key Largo CARL, John Pennekamp State Park, and the existing National Marine Sanctuary.

This area is habitat for many threatened and endangered species including Florida panther, American crocodiles, wood storks, the coast leather fern, and the silver palm. This area is federally designated as critical habitat for the American crocodile.

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# Is your body "happy" with your current weight?

What's your ideal weight? For years American dieting public has agonized over weight tables and wondered how to achieve the illusive "ideal weight."

It doesn't help that over the years, as the American standard of beauty has changed, so have the height and weight charts.

Weight is tricky anyway. The numbers on the scale do not mean the same thing for all people. Since muscle weighs more than fat, one woman can be 5'6", weigh 125 pounds and wear a size four while another woman can be 5'6", weigh 125 pounds and wear a size eight.

These days, many health experts maintain that ideal weight varies by individual.

"Your healthy weight is what's produced by eating healthy and exercising," stated



By Katrina Elksen,  
Contributing Editor

John Foreyt, director of the Nutrition Research Center at Baylor College of Medicine, according to "Lose It Fast, Make It Last," a guide to permanent weight loss by Prevention Magazine.

The theory is that if you eat right and exercise, your body will find its own ideal healthy weight.

Sounds easy. The trick is determining just what "eating right" means and just how much exercise you need.

Your body is not going to find its ideal healthy weight if you are camped out on the sofa, watching television and munching on potato chips.

"Lose It Fast, Make It Last," suggests finding your ideal weight by following a sensible weight-loss plan for six to eight weeks. At first, excess weight will come off easily and total weight will drop. When the diet no longer seems to be working, this indicates you are approaching your body's "happy" weight.

There are any number of sensible weight loss plans detailed in the many diet books available in book stores and local libraries. Look for one that includes a balance of

fruit, vegetables, lean meats and dairy products (or other protein sources if you don't eat meat) and whole grains. Avoid any "fad" diets that completely eliminate one or more of the major food groups. Good diet plans will encourage you to eat several meals a day. And of course, I recommend you avoid any diet that does not include eating breakfast. (Everybody needs breakfast. Just ask your mother.)

Good diet plans will also encourage you to drink plenty of water. Note that I said water. Water means water. It doesn't mean coffee, tea, fruit juice or diet soda. All liquids are not created equal and your body reacts to different liquids in different ways. Anything with caffeine is a diuretic and could contribute to dehydration. Diet drinks can actually make you

hungry for sweets. What your body needs is good, old-fashioned water and plenty of it at least eight glasses a day.

As for getting enough exercise, three times a week doesn't cut it. To reach your healthy weight, you need to exercise at least five days a week. Examples of moderate aerobic exercise include brisk walking, running, bicycling or swimming for at least 45 minutes. You might not be able to exercise that long at first. Start with what you can manage and work up to it slowly. Try to add a few more minutes or aerobics each day, a few more blocks to your walk, a few more laps in the pool.

Maintaining a healthy weight is not a one-time goal. It's a lifestyle change. So choose a form of exercise that you enjoy.

If you also want to tone and shape your muscles, add weight-training to your exercise routine. You don't have to buy an expensive machine for that. A few hand weights will suffice. Start small, with just enough weight to tire you after about 10 repetitions. Add more repetitions until the weights seem too light, then move up to a heavier weight.

Don't expect results overnight. It will probably take at least six to eight months for your body to reach its ideal healthy weight. If you are obese, it will take even longer. Remember, you didn't get out of shape in a short time.

As always, check with your doctor before starting any new diet or exercise program.

## Sound advice for a safe home

(NAPS)—Is your home as safe as it can be for your children?

Each year, more than seven million children are injured seriously enough at home to require medical treatment. What may be even more alarming, however, is that the majority of these accidents are avoidable. In fact, experts estimate that 90 percent of accidental injuries can be prevented.

For parents and caregivers, the first step in protecting children from serious injuries is learning about accident prevention, and making some simple changes in your home. Here are some practical tips on accident prevention, from the editors of *The Merck Manual of Medical Information—Home Edition*.

**Accident-proof** your child's room. From the day you bring your child home, make sure his or her room is a safe place. For infants, do not use an old crib—it could be missing parts and may not

meet the certification requirements of the Juvenile Products Manufacturers' Association. To prevent injuries, make sure the mattress fits snugly, and keep all side rails up when the child is in the crib.

Use electrical outlet safety devices. Young children and toddlers are often tempted to put their fingers into electrical outlets, especially once they start to crawl and walk. Protect your children by installing outlet covers, which can be purchased at a hardware store.

**Prevent accidents in the kitchen.** The kitchen can be a fun—and safe—place for children, as long as you keep a close eye on them. Important safety tips include using back burners when cooking, turning pot handles toward the back of the stove, keeping silverware and sharp tools in a drawer with a safety latch and unplugging appliances after use.

**Keep hazardous substances in cabinets with**

childproof latches. Some of the most common serious poisonings in children result from swallowing everyday household products, including aspirin and other pain relievers, vitamins, detergents, cleaning supplies and alcohol. If you suspect that your child has been poisoned, the first step is to call the regional Poison Center. Check the phone book or call directory assistance if you do not have the number already.

**Protect children from falls and other accidents throughout your home.** There are simple changes you can make throughout your

home to make it safer for young children. Make sure that sharp corners on tables and shelves are covered with protective guards. Install child safety gates at the top and bottom of stairs to prevent children from playing on stairs. Windows should have locks that do not open more than four inches—screens alone cannot prevent falls.

**Be prepared.** Keep important numbers (pediatrician, fire department, poison control center) posted by the telephone. If any child under your supervision is harmed, contact your pediatrician if you cannot treat

the injury yourself. Also, keep a fully stocked first-aid kit on hand and familiarize yourself with its contents. Check with your doctor or pharmacist for suggestions or for information on how to use a product correctly.

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## OPINION PAGE

## Feel strongly about local issues?

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**Speak Out** is our 24-hour opinion line. Call 996-6636 to express your opinion or ask questions about public issues. You are not required to give your name. While we want you to speak out freely, the newspaper reserves the right to edit calls for clarity, brevity, relevance and fairness.

## Don't even

"The caller to Speak Out last week who so vehemently defended Lomax Harrelle must be one of his cronies. He should have been chased out of town, or better yet, charged right along with Danny Perez."

City of Belle Glade officials - the citizens who elected you to office are watching. We know and have known what's going on at city hall. We demand a truthful and thorough investigation. We want it all out. We are also aware who is defending that corrupt administration and question why.

Lomax, please don't even drive through our town. We are taking it back. You are not welcome."

## A message to the county

"This is addressed to the county: Why aren't the roads taken care of?

I know you do not use a grader all that much that you couldn't keep a check on the dirt or rock road at the end of Brown's Farm Road at the end of the pavement."

It's so bad I have to go less than 20 miles per hour and I drive that road two times a day, as do my co-workers. We have been doing this for over two years and this road has been very bad for the past six months.

If I had a company truck I wouldn't worry. They would fix it, but I have to drive my own and I pay taxes also."

If you would leave a grader out there on a Sunday morning and a note saying "Go ahead, Tom", so I wouldn't get in trouble, I will grade it on my day off.

Also, in front of the Everglades Experiment Station on old S.R. 80 in the west bound lane there is a bad bump. It would not take a lot of your time to fix it. Why is it that over in Palm Beach they get all their roads fixed and we can't? We sure do have some bad one. I would like to keep my

truck for a while without having to make repairs."

## Another defender of Mr. Harrelle

"I also would like to Speak Out for Lomax Harrelle. Belle Glade has really lost a great asset to our city. I wish he would hang in and not resign. Knowing he has had a terrible two years with the loss of a son and constantly putting up with the daily nitty gritty complaints of what I consider to be small people who sit back, never contribute to the city, much less take time to go to commission meetings or donate their time to the city they live in."

Yes, anyone can be replaced, but what qualified, knowledgeable person can go after federal, state, and county funds to help build and support our many projects to keep our city progressing forward as Lomax has done? I have made it my job to talk to and feel out general opinion and it is greatly in Mr. Harrelle's favor. I found a few jealous, suspicious and envious people complain. I say consider the source and let them look in their own closets and then throw the first stone.

I and others have only highest respect for Lomax. He is a person who was raised here, feels for the city and listens to everyone's problems. I know he resigned on principle, not guilt.

People, stop and think of our future.

An old time resident."

**Editor's note:** We received two Speak Out calls which pertained to a subject that was addressed and responded to in last week's newspaper. Unless our callers have something fundamentally different to say on the subject we are not inclined to continue to ask Chief Miller to respond to the same complaint.



## Western Palm Beach County Farm Bureau advocates school choice

Western Palm Beach County Farm Bureau President Karl Larsen and First Vice President Wynn Jones submitted the following information for our readers consideration. The local Farm Bureau agency in Belle Glade is advocating school choice. The resolution will also be presented to state and local officials.

Whereas Florida is committed to the policy that all its children shall be assured of an education through grade 12 at public expense.

Whereas the purpose of these public funds is that all children, regardless of the circumstances of their birth, have an equal opportunity to achieve those developments of mind and character that will make them knowledgeable and autonomous adults, responsible citizens, and productive members of society;

Whereas the purpose of these public funds is clearly to accomplish this result, and not to pay for institutions whether they are achieving it or not;

Whereas parents are legally obliged to arrange for their children's education and may do so by enrolling them in a public, private or home school;

Whereas in the judgement of many parents their child would have a better chance of becoming an educated adult, and thus fulfilling the public purpose for which these public funds have been appropriated, were they able to enroll their child in a non-government school selected by them, rather than in the public school assigned by the government;

Whereas the public dollars that have been earmarked for the education of each child in Florida could be treated as a scholarship that will follow the child to the school chosen by the parents - whether public, private or parochial - which is the policy known as *School Choice*;

Whereas *School Choice* has been Florida's policy at the college level for twenty years, inasmuch as the State of Florida encourages its families to select the college or university that they judge best for their college-aged student and the State then provides those students with tax-funded tuition assistance, whether they have chosen a state university, a private college, or a religiously affiliated institution;

Whereas this policy of *School Choice* has been welcomed with great enthusiasm by the families of Florida and has resulted in a university system of great strength and diversity, in which the public and private institutions collaborate for the educational benefit of all the citizens;

Whereas it is possible to implement *School Choice* as policy at the elementary and secondary level in the same fair and effective way that it has been implemented at the university level;

Whereas it is possible to implement *School Choice* as policy at the elementary and secondary level in a way that reduces the tax burden on the citizens of this State;

Whereas implementing *School Choice* at the elementary and secondary level will extend to non-rich families the same capacity to act in the best interest of their children that has long been enjoyed and valued by the prosperous;

Whereas there is compelling evidence that parental involvement in a child's school is a critical factor in the school achieving its educational purpose, and that the highest level of involvement is that of being able to choose the school one considers best for one's child;

Whereas extending Florida's policy of *School Choice* to the elementary and secondary level holds the promise of strengthening families as the experience of responsibility for choosing their child's school is extended to all income classes;

Whereas extending Florida's policy of *School Choice* to the elementary and secondary level holds the promise of restoring, both to urban centers and rural areas, a variety of schools - often smaller than the government schools, often closer to the residents through their connection with local churches or community groups, and often preferred by families;

Whereas the policy of *School Choice* neither contains nor implies the belief that either sector of schools is generally superior to the other, but only that as many families possible should be given the capacity to freely choose between them;

Whereas extending Florida's policy of *School Choice* to the elementary and secondary level holds the promise of bringing Florida's government and non-government schools into a cooperative partnership that will benefit the children, their families, their neighborhoods and the schools themselves;

Whereas parents are charged with the responsibility and authority to decide all other significant matters regarding the welfare of their own children - including their nutrition, health, and shelter;

Whereas parents, in all but rare cases, know their children the best, care the most, place their greatest hopes, and will be most affected by the success or failure of their decisions regarding their children;

Whereas the idea that every family in Florida have not only the liberty but the capacity to choose the school their child will attend is that commands our attention as just and democratic people;

Whereas the elementary and secondary public schools in the western half of the Palm Beach County have demonstrated a history of failure to provide equal opportunity to all of the children of the area to achieve those developments of mind and character that will make them knowledgeable and autonomous adults, responsible citizens, and productive members of society;

Therefore be it resolved by the Western Palm Beach County Farm Bureau

That all children in the state are deserving of an equal opportunity to achieve those developments of mind and character that will make them knowledgeable and autonomous adults, responsible citizens, and productive members of society;

That the public dollars that have been assured for the education of each child in the State be treated as a scholarship that will follow the child to the school chosen by the family - whether a public, private or parochial school.

## Letter to the Editor

## There's money available for scholarships

Dear Editor:

You are aware, I'm sure, of the projects and activities of the Belle Glade Lion's Club. One of these activities is the Ruth S. Wedgeworth Scholarship. This fund permits us to award four \$1,000 scholarships each year. At the present time we have a freshman scholarship open, but we only have one application submitted.

This scholarship is competitive and is open to any local 1998 high school graduate who has a minimum score of 750 on the SAT, a recommen-

dation from their principal and a recognized need.

Interested applicants should call me at 996-3411 and I will see that they receive an application form. Receipt of these applications is urgent. Please have all applications in by September 9, 1998.

Thank you for helping us inform the students of this opportunity.

Sam Lovell

Chairman, Education Committee

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# Two pioneer Glades families' businesses join forces

## Sun Spots

tears.

Volunteers are needed who are willing to be trained in water safety, CPR or First Aid Instruction. Volunteers are also needed for other tasks at the Red Cross office in Belle Glade.

To volunteer call 992-9703 or (941) 675-8000.

### Activities for seniors open and free

Glades residents 65 years old and older are invited to participate in activities held daily at the West County Senior Citizen Center, 2916 S.R. 9th Street, Belle Glade.

For more information, call Tammy Kyles or Barbara Green at 996-1718.

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### BRIEFS/From 1

"Heaven's Gates & Hell's Flames" directed by Reality Outreach Ministries, Inc. Sept. 27 through Sept. 29.

If you are interested in performing in the drama or assisting with production or ministry, the First Baptist Church invites you to participate in a promotional video viewing Saturday, August 29, at 7 p.m.

For more information, please contact First Baptist Church of Belle Glade at 996-5594 or call Organizers Ashley Tripp at 996-3333 or Joyce Chamberlain at 996-6945.

### GED testing offered at Glades Central

The GED test will be given at Glades Central Community High School on Sept. 1, 2 and 3, 1998 at 9 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Adults should register in the community school office before 5 p.m. on Aug. 31 to take the test.

The cost of the test is \$40.

For more information, call 993-4404.

### Community-wide Worship Service

A Community Worship Service will be held this Sunday evening, August 30 at 7 p.m. at the Wesley Holiness Church, 333 S.W. 4th Street, Belle Glade. Rev. Clifford Davis is the host pastor.

### Doo Wop City

Endless Summer Promotions presents Doo Wop City, a rock and roll revival festival that will be held September 12, 2:00 p.m., at The Prince Theatre in Pahokee.

Doo Wop City will be star-studded Pittsburgh's finest recording stars such as The Marcells, The Legends of South Florida, Randy and the Rainbows and Suzanne Leigh Lindrose. There will be two hour long shows: matinee at 3:00 p.m. and evening at 7:00 p.m.

The festival includes a lighted street festival, food vendors, a period car show with \$500 prize and other outdoor activities. Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the gate. For tickets and information, call (561) 924-2003 or (888) 572-0507.

The West County Senior Citizen Center, 2916 S.R. 9th Street, Belle Glade, is seeking a volunteer to teach the seniors computer skills.

Administrator Effie McNair said she is hoping someone in the community will step forward to volunteer their services.

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### Head Start accepting children

Belle Glade Family and Children Services, PEPPi Head Start Program is now

accepting applications for three and four year old children.

All children are welcome to attend, including children with disabilities and there are no fees.

The center is located at 200 S.W. 9th Street, Belle Glade.

For more information, call Tammy Kyles or Barbara Green at 996-1718.

### Poll Workers needed

Supervisor of Elections, Theresa LePore, is looking for poll workers in the Glades to work in the upcoming fall elections.

If you are a registered voter in Palm Beach County, have your own transportation, and are physically able to work a 14-hour day, this may be for you. Poll workers are needed to work in many areas of the county.

Please call 561-355-2650 and ask for extension 0217 to have a poll worker brochure or application mailed to you.

### Support group for prostate cancer

Men in the area who would like to learn more about prostate cancer prevention, causes and surgical options are invited to help organize a prostate support group.

Anyone interested in joining should call Lt. Albert Dowdell at 996-7254.

### Workshops offered for those who would like to own their own home

Centro Campesino Farmworker Center invites all persons who want to own a home to a special series of workshops.

The workshops will be held at Mount Calvary Baptist Church, 399 Canal Street in Radcliffe, Belle Glade. The classes are designed to help residents in the process to obtain a loan and become a successful home owner.

For more information on the workshops call Centro Campesino at 996-3988.

### Volunteers sought for Red Cross

The Glades area service center of the Palm Beach County Chapter of the American Red Cross is in search of volunteers.



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## Appreciation Brunch held for teachers

By Shirley Jarriel

The Instructional Staff and Administrators of the Pahokee and Canal Point schools were honored with an Appreciation Brunch on Tuesday, August 18 from 8 to 10



Pahokee's Teacher Appreciation Brunch - (L to R) Alice Thompson, Pahokee Chamber Executive Director; Dr. Joan Kowal, Palm Beach County School Superintendent; Shirley Jarriel, Pahokee Main Street Coordinator.

a.m. in the cafeteria of Pahokee Middle/Senior High School. A delicious and elegant breakfast was served to approximately 200 guests. There was much excitement and fun as door prizes were awarded every few minutes and attendees were sharing experiences and spending time with friends from other schools. Teachers were encouraged to enjoy the beautiful apples used in the table decorations and furnished by Foodland of Pahokee. They also received goody bags, Pahokee Main Street Community Calendars and Sem-Chi rice as well as gifts from Sam's Club representative, Pam, who also offered special discounted memberships.

We were especially pleased to welcome Palm Beach County Schools Superintendent Dr. Joan Kowal and members of her staff including West Area Executive Director, Eugenia Jones, Representative, Aldine Green, and area school principals. Dr. Kowal gave a short address of encouragement and praise to the teachers and administrators and all present who were not teachers gave them a standing ovation for the valuable service they provide.

Those winning door prizes were Marilyn McCuller, Rebecca Davis, Janann Nicholson, James Scarboro, Randi Schultz, F. Roundtree, Criss Maxon, Deborah Boyle, Sandra Jarriel, Louis Henderson, Steve Morris, Sam Alex, Becky Mattox, Mary L. Jackson, Joyce Banks, Alan Hayes, Maria Fontaine, Dorothy Sharp, Cynthia Cormack, Gwynne Asa-Williams, Esther Boyd, Jennifer Carey, Gary Hainley, Robbie Everett, Mel Coleman, Cynthia Cromer, Joan Bass, Marvin Davis, Trudy Jones, J. Ryan, Twila Reinke, Elida Wray, Shirley Waggon, Charlotte Hayes, and Tracy Harrell.

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Much thanks also to those who assisted with preparation, set-up, serving, greeting, and clean-up; Ted & Judy Gallo, Shirley Jarriel, Kay Korbly, Omaida Milliron, Mary Alice Moore, City Commissioner Pete Moore, Pahokee Middle/Senior High School Cafeteria employees, Tina Provenzale, Amy Schenck, City Manager Ken Schenck, Elsie Singletary, Alice & Don Thompson, Flora Todd, Dot Vanlandingham, and Diane Walker, Assistant to Representative Eddie Green.

There was enthusiastic agreement all around that this should become a yearly tradition. No segment of our population is more worthy of recognition than those who educate our children. We look forward to an even better event next year!

## Sears graduates from University of Florida



Elementary Education. She is the daughter of Wayne and Yadira Sears of Canal Point. Catherine is a 1994 graduate of Glades Day School.

After her internship at Myra Terwilliger Elementary School in Gainesville, Catherine plans to return to the Palm Beach County area to begin her teaching career. She will receive her teaching certification in May of 1999.

Catherine is a recipient of the Florida Fund for Minority Teachers Scholarship.

## Navy News

### Romero makes sea rescue



Mediterranean Sea after suffering a fire in the engine room. Crew members from Romero's ship quickly organized an emergency task group which rescued the entire crew of eight, but was unable to save the vessel from the fire. The rescued crew was also provided medical treatment.

Home ported in Norfolk, VA, Romero's ship and its embarked Marines present a formidable U.S. presence which can provide a rapid response in times of crisis. Sailors and Marines aboard USS Saipan conduct a variety of missions from reconnaissance and amphibious assaults to evacuating civilians and providing humanitarian aid.

The 1995 graduate of Glades Central Community High School joined the Navy in July 1997.

**Navy Seaman Rafael A. Romero**, son of Rafael and Christina A. Romero of Belle Glade, recently participated in a dramatic rescue at sea aboard the amphibious assault ship USS Saipan, currently on a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf.

Romero's ship responded to a distress call from a 144-foot "Mega" yacht stranded in the

## Celebrate Jesus with Harvest A.M.E. Church

Rev. Patricia S. Wallace and Harvest A.M.E. invites you to come and celebrate Jesus with them in the month of September. The following events will be taking place at 825 Larimore Road, Pahokee.

**Fish Fry** - September 5, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Usher Board Celebrate -**

September 13, 3 p.m.  
**Youth Choir** (Opening night) - September 16, 7 p.m. (Climax) - September 20, 3 p.m.

**Adult Choir** (Opening night) September 23, 7 p.m. (Climax) September 27, 3 p.m.  
**Adult Men Fellowship** - September 27, 11 p.m.



Pahokee's Teacher Appreciation Brunch - (L to R) Addie Greene, Florida State Representative and Dr. Joan Kowal, Palm Beach County School Superintendent.



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Dr. Jigan's office in Clewiston is at Hendry Regional Medical Center's Multi-Specialty Physician Offices, 532 West Sagamore. To schedule local Thursday appointments with him, call the Fort Myers office at 941.939.6778. (Dr. Kagan now will be scheduling Tuesday appointments in Clewiston also. Call 941.983.6778.)

Dr. Jigan has been practicing seven years in Fort Myers, and specializes in joint replacement surgery, arthroscopy, sports injuries and orthopedic injuries caused by age, heredity and disease.

He is a graduate, with Honors, of Wayne State University, and earned his D.O. degree from Michigan State University. He completed a surgical internship/orthopedic surgery residency at Detroit Osteopathic Hospital.

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Vote September 1!

To the citizens of Palm Beach County:  
This week, my opponent in the race for the County Commission, Tony Masilotti, published inflammatory campaign ads in at least two of the newspapers that cover the western half of Palm Beach County.

He accuses me of attacking his personal life. I categorically deny his false charges.

At no time in any of my speeches, campaign literature, or campaign advertisements, have I ever mentioned Mr. Masilotti's personal life. In fact, I had never heard of 90% of the list of items that he confesses to until I read Mr. Masilotti's own campaign ad. Additionally, I had nothing to do with the problem Mr. Masilotti had with the State Attorney, and some of the members of the County Commission. (What does the interest costs on Royal Palm Beach Municipal Bonds have to do with me or the race for District 6's County Commission seat? Nothing! I guess he was venting his rage at Mary McCarty on me.)

I apologize to all of the citizens in the Glades for having to put up with Mr. Masilotti's insulting letters in the newspapers.

I hope the voters will help me send him a message - we are tired of his kind of politics.

Ben Boynton

**Ben  
Boynton**  
County Commission, District 6

## Students work with Connor Moran Children's Cancer Foundation

Summer is over and students are back to their studies, however, a group of students from Glades Central spent their last days preparing and conducting a Fun Day on August 11, for the children who receive help from the Connor Moran Children's Cancer Foundation. Lindsay Bennett a 1998 graduate had won a grant from the HIP/Miami Heat to do something for children with cancer. Her idea for the grant came from knowing a young man from the Glades area who lives in Clewiston, Jonathan Chue. Jonathan has had to deal with the problems of cancer for many years now. Lindsay wanted to do something for him and for other children like him.



Kenny Lutz takes a turn in the wet sponge throw booth.

The Connor Moran Foundation provided the space and the family contacts for the Fun Day. Jennifer Brown, one of the Foundation's organizers helped to put the day together. Terry Moran who started the Foundation because her own son, Connor, died from cancer, helped with the grant.



Setting up...Kenny Lutz and Lindsay Daily make balloon animals for the children

the day's activities also.

There were approximately 75 people at the event, including the children and their families. Lindsay Bennett, with fellow students Dwight Ford, Enrique Lopez, Charlie Mann, Brian Edgecomb, Reson Korchellah, Sola Konchiah, and Lindsay Daily, entertained the children and families with balloon animals, a sponge throw game, a dunk tank, face painting and various other carnival type games.

Donations from the Belle Glade Barnett Bank and U-Save Supermarket helped to provide bags and school supplies for the children. All children received prizes, toys, candy and supplies.

The grant and event were under the direction of Thespian Society sponsors Sarah Bennett and Robert Bennett. English teacher, Kenneth Lutz and Chardetha Mann also were there to help the students with their project. Mr. Lutz had fun

behind the sponge throw, while Mrs. Mann led the children in singing. Mr. Bennett was occupied with various games and Mrs. Bennett gave her drama experience in face painting.

Unfortunately, Jonathan Chue had a relapse the night before and had to be taken to the hospital because he was in severe pain, so therefore, he and his family could not attend. This is the reason these children and their families need so much help. They never know what their lives will be like the next day. All the love and support that can be given to them is much needed.



Glades Central Thespian Sponsor, Sarah Bennett, paints children's faces.

## If someone you love is on drugs

By Thomas J. McSweeney  
Director of The Christophers



to them when you discover anything even remotely suspicious.

Then from the deepest part of his being he groaned, "Everyday I still have to cope with the guilt I feel that I didn't do something sooner - because it got to the point that there was nothing I could do."

I passed on his advice to my friends - intervene, do something now! Yes they may turn on you, rail against your rules and your insistence on their being treated and treated. But take action!

What should you do if you are faced with he hard fact that someone you love is using drugs? Let me suggest three initial steps.

First, don't panic. Don't blame yourself. Guilt, shame and denial can paralyze you. More than ever, your child or friend needs to know you are going to stand by and love him or her, in spite of his choices.

Second, confront the individual with the evidence. But wait until the "high" is over so that he or she will be able to hear and understand you.

Third, get professional help. This is vital. A qualified coun-

selor or drug abuse treatment program can determine the extent of one's problem and help select the right treatment. Take action. Don't let excuses stop you. You, too, may need counseling to deal with your feelings and the effect on your family.

Yesterday I received a phone call from one of my friends who had contacted me earlier. She spoke through tears of joy and relief as she explained what her daughter had said to her one week after being more or less forced to enter a drug treatment facility. Her daughter disclosed that a friend of hers had just died from a drug overdose. "Mom, that could have been me. You saved me. And I know now how much you really love me."

Recent headlines offer the promise of new chemical treatments for the cocaine-addicted. But as good as that news is, there is still the need for each of us to be vigilant and ready to intervene long before addiction kicks in. To be courageous enough to say to the one we love, "I love you. I care about you. I don't want to see you destroy yourself."

## Luncheon with Attorney Cochran, Jr.

Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church cordially invites you to attend its "Luncheon with Attorney Johnnie L. Cochran, Jr." of Los Angeles, California in celebration of the church's 10th anniversary.

The luncheon will be held on Saturday, September 19 at 12:30 p.m. at the Palm Beach Gardens Marriott Hotel in Palm Beach Gardens.

Individual tickets are available at \$100 per person. This includes lunch in addition to

receipt of a copy of Johnnie Cochran's best selling book, *Journey to Justice*.

Corporate tables of distinction are also available for a \$2,000 donation. Corporate sponsors will receive books for each guest, priority reserved seating and table recognition.

Ads may be purchased for the luncheon souvenir journal by the community. The deadline to purchase ads is August 31. For information, call (561) 832-8338.

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Rick Minton

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# Sports This Week

They thought they were in shape, having lifted weights and run all summer as instructed. But putting on the pads is far from putting on "The Ritz" for the area football players who now find themselves in the midst of a ....

## Summer Soul Search

By Philip Korn  
Sports Editor

Whoever nicknamed this sport the "arena of autumn" has obviously never spent a summer here in Florida.

Heat, humidity, gnats and growling coaches. All us lake area residents have to put up with most of it, except, of

course, the bellowing voices demanding more where there is none left.

Football season is again upon us, with all three area schools playing "unofficial" kickoff classics on August 28th.

The games are unofficial only in the standings, for these kids have been taking and giving hard knocks for the past two

weeks in an effort to impress coaches and win playing time.

Each game is deadly serious to the players who seek to send a message to future opponents and set a ruthless tone for the upcoming season.

Try telling them that the first game doesn't count, then duck for fear of unaccommodating reprisal.

None of these men will dare discount every drop of sweat, every burn down deep in their chests, every beratement for missed assignments, every sacrifice of time and effort. High school football is serious business for players, coaches and fans alike.

You can see it in their faces, intense with a far away look

towards the following Friday evening. You can hear it in casual conversations struck up at work or over the B-B-Q. You can feel it in the tension brewing over budding local rivalries. You can find it played out on sand lots, park fields, empty streets, living room carpets and multi-purpose stadiums. Yes, it's football season.

Anticipation runs high, as do the usual lofty expectations for each of the local high school programs.

Each camp has its own feel and its own flavor. We'll give you a taste.

## The Raider How Bout Dem Gators

By Philip Korn  
Sports Editor

"Business as usual," according to Bull Gator Pete Walker. The Gator camp is full of the usual bumps and bruises, and, unfortunately, one significant injury.

Senior defensive tackle Rusty Hyslope has a hairline fracture in his foot and will likely miss three weeks.

The loss of senior muscle and experience could be a significant blow to Walker's defense, but the coach is having nothing of making excuses. "We're resilient...we'll snap back," he insists. The Gators will hope to have Hyslope back for the home opener against

The Benjamin School. If not, then for the September 25th game against John Carroll High School.

Irrespective, Hyslope will be missed for his run-stopping presence against American Heritage in the Kickoff Classic.

American Heritage has an excellent football team," according to Coach Walker. "They like to run the ball." Hyslope's presence against the run will certainly be missed, and Walker will look for the team to rise to the occasion in Rusty's absence.

Walker will be looking for nothing more than getting his "team in gear" during their game down in Plantation, seek-

ing more to "keep it tight, while sticking to the basics," according to the coach. Coach Walker is looking towards the Kickoff Classic as nothing more than an opportunity to work on the basics and practice the fundamentals that the Gators have been stressing in their practice routines so far. The Gators will keep the game plan tight to the vest, not wanting to tip their hand to future opponents.

The players, though, likely see this game in a much different light, as American Heritage was the opponent that ended the Gator playoff run last year. Look for ferocious hitting and intensity from the Gators, in an effort at nothing less than pay back with serious interest.

By Philip Korn  
Sports Editor

Coach Milton Watson is trying to put his best foot forward, but they must have healthy legs attached.

Starting tailback Nakia Campbell is out for the next two to three weeks with a hamstring injury, severely handicapping the Raider offensive thrust. This injury is most significant considering the fact that the Raiders are trying to break in a new quarterback and were depending heavily on their running game to do so. Watson plans to bring Jatavious McRay into the mix at tailback and spell him with Cortonio Marshall. Expect Nakia Campbell to be out a

minimum of three weeks.

Also out due to injury is DJuan Brown, starting cornerback, who has a hamstring tear. Defensive strength and depth will allow for the Raiders to compensate for this loss in the short term, and Coach Watson looks for Brown's return by the September 25th game versus Clewiston. Otherwise, according to Coach Watson, it's just the normal "bumps and bruises."

It's been a dominating status quo for the Raider defense, as they were both the "rock and the hard place" in the intra-squad scrimmage held at the Raider camp. "The offense couldn't move the ball," according to Watson, "and this isn't necessarily a bad thing."

Watson knows that his high-powered defense will carry the day in early games this season. Considering their problems in the offensive backfield, the feeling of responsibility is that much more urgent among Raider defensemen.

This Friday's Kickoff Classic at Pompano Beach Ely will provide the stage for the Raiders to debut their new actors. Coach Watson will look to unveil his 1998 brand of "smash mouth" football on Ely, highlighting what he called the biggest surprise of this year's camp. "I'm real pleased with the job done by the first unit offensive line," Watson states, "we're going to look to run the ball."

"We'll be moving Willie

Blue Devil Bug-A-Boo

By Philip Korn  
Sports Editor

There is a cumulative "Ouch!" emanating from the Pahokee Blue Devil camp this week, as two double-duty starters have been lost to injury.

Starting offensive and defensive lineman Benjamin Griffin, a Division One football prospect, has been lost indefinitely due to a fractured ankle. Griffin's role as the key man along both fronts will be difficult to fill, as he was the stalwart along both lines.

Also out, though only for a few weeks, will be starting safety and wide receiver Charles Edwards, who has a hand injury sustained in an automobile accident.

While extremely talented, the Blue Devil squad is quite thin, often depending on its players to carry responsibilities on both sides of the ball. This will make it very difficult for Coach Joe Marx to replace these players in the short run.

"We'll be moving Willie

Ranson into Ben Griffin's place to see what he can do," stated Coach Marx, "We'll look for him to really step up."

Marx will be juggling John McGee and Octavious Bowie into the void left by Edwards' injury.

In peering ahead to the Kickoff Classic at Clewiston on August 28th, Coach Marx is looking to "deal with ourselves, rather than the other guys." The game will be a forum for running the basics, and a means for self discovery.

The Blue Devils will run the ball for sure, and throw, "to find out if we can," according to Marx.

The Blue Devil defense should also see a good test, as the Clewiston Tigers field a strong team with an excellent running game.

Both teams will look to set the tone for the upcoming season, and impress the local fans. Expect a strong Pahokee fan presence in the Cane Field stands, pushing on what I see to be a strong, grind-it-out performance from the players.

**The Sun**  
needs Sports Staff. Computer experience helpful. Must work well with others and under deadline. Call Brenda at 561-996-4404 for an interview.

### Raider cheerleaders attend camp in Boca Raton

On August 1, Glades Central JV (pictured, right) and Varsity (below) cheerleaders attended Florida Atlantic University's four day camp with the National Cheerleaders Association (NCA). Both squads learned chants, cheers, spirit dances, bleacher mania, stunts and pyramids. Fourteen other schools participated and all were evaluated.

The JV squad brought home three superiors\* and one excellent\* as well as the Herkies Team Award\* trophy. The Herkies is awarded

to the team who displays leadership, values, teamwork and spirit. "Team Buddy" Michelle, who is in her last year with NCA, stated that she had never seen a squad that exemplifies the word TEAMWORK as well as the JV team did.

The Varsity cheerleaders brought home two superiors and two excellents, as well as the Spirit Stick\*.

Jessica Camacho, and Judy Turner attended the captains' class to represent their team as captains of their squad for the year 1998-99.



Janeria Wright (Varsity), Cheryl Fields (JV) and Tameka Hannah (JV) were nominated for All-American. Nominees are selected by the NCA as outstanding individuals who exemplify the best cheerleading standards (jumps, tumbling and motion technique) at camp.

JV Coach Sharon Brown and Varsity Coach Juanita Anderson attended several coaches' meetings and received NCA Coaches certificates and NCA Coaches manual and stunt video tape.

\*Superior - The team who displays strong technique, leads the crowd well and performs with no noticeable mistakes.

\*Excellent - A team who displays good techniques but had one or two small mistakes. Possible need to work on perfection of technique.

\*Spirit Stick - The Spirit Stick is presented to the squad showing the most sincere spirit and enthusiasm for the day while taking into account promptness, cooperation, relationship with other squads, leadership, etc.

\*Herkies Team Award - Awarded to the squad that shows true teamwork, unity, and leadership throughout the week. Visible to the other squads and NCA staff.

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# NASCAR

This Week

## POINTS STANDINGS

WINSTON CUP	BUSCH	TRUCK
1. Jeff Gordon, 3,417	1. D. Elliott, 3,269	1. Matt Kenseth, 2,759
2. Mark Martin, 3,350	2. Matt Kenseth, 3,174	2. Jack Sprague, 2,707
3. Dale Jarrett, 3,194	3. M. McLaughlin, 3,094	3. Joe Ruttman, 2,673
4. Rusty Wallace, 3,033	4. Randy LaJoie, 2,839	4. Tony Raines, 2,506
5. Bobby Labonte, 2,932	5. Buckshot Jones, 2,758	5. Stacy Compton, 2,391
6. Terry Labonte, 2,859	6. Jeff Gordon, 2,758	6. Jeff Gordon, 2,371
7. Jeff Burton, 2,779	7. Phil Parsons, 2,677	7. Jimmy Hensley, 2,266
8. Dale Earnhardt, 2,671	8. Tim Fedewa, 2,676	8. Randy Tolman, 2,202
9. Terry Labonte, 2,606	9. Elliott Sadler, 2,610	9. Ron Barfield, 2,176
10. Ken Schrader, 2,533	10. Hermie Sadler, 2,548	10. Rick Carelli, 2,152

## FROM LAST WEEK

### WINSTON CUP SERIES

Martin snapped Jeff Gordon's four-race winning streak with a victory in the Goody's 500 at Bristol Motor Speedway. Gordon finished fifth but saw his points lead over Martin dwindle to 67.

Several drivers — including Rusty Wallace, Ricky Rudd and Jeremy Mayfield — led the race early, and Dale Earnhardt used some pit strategy to lead 20 laps midway through. But the end was all Martin, as he led the final 181 laps on the way to his fifth win of the season.

Wallace and Mike Skinner both went a lap down early in the race but recovered to finish third and seventh, respectively.

### BUSCH GRAND NATIONAL

Dale Jarrett appeared to have the Food City 250 locked up at Bristol Motor Speedway, leading by more than a straight-

away with 15 laps to go.

But a caution flag bottled up the field, and disaster ensued. Robert Pressley banged with Buckshot Jones while trying to pass his lapped car. A nine-car melee resulted on the front stretch, collecting the second-, third- and fourth-place cars.

After a red flag, Jarrett's car started slowly, and Kevin Lepage passed him in the final four laps. Jarrett finished third.

### CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES

Stacy Compton, helped by a number of accidents and mechanical problems by his rivals, won the Lund Look 275K in Topeka, Kan.

Mike Bliss led early until his engine failed; then a seven-truck accident took out a number of contenders. Ron Hornaday was involved, but retained the points lead over Jack Sprague, who finished fourth.

### THE WINSTON CUP SERIES

COMING UP: CMT 300  
WHERE: New Hampshire International Speedway, Loudon, N.H.

**WHEN:** Sunday, Aug. 30  
**DEFENDING CHAMPION:** Jeff Gordon  
**EVENT QUALIFYING RECORD:** Ken Schrader, Chevrolet, 129.182 mph, Sept. 12, 1997  
**RACE RECORD:** Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 100.364 mph, Sept. 14, 1997

**OTHER FORMER WINNERS:** The fall race has only been won once. Gordon also has won a spring race here, as

Schrader has Rusty Wallace, Ricky Rudd and Ernie Irvan.

**NOTABLE:** Ken Schrader won both poles and Steve Grissom finished fourth in both races here last year. ... Gordon's only two top-five finishes here are his wins in 1995 and '97.

### ALMOST HOME COOKING

When you go to New England, you have to eat lobster, mainly because it's so much cheaper in the rest of the country. The area around the track boasts hundreds of seafood choices, but the best places for lobster are in the resort area around Weirs Beach, which is near Laconia!

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**NOTABLE:** Ken Schrader won both poles and Steve Grissom finished fourth in both races here last year. ... Gordon's only two top-five finishes here are his wins in 1995 and '97.



Gordon

**CRAFTSMAN TRUCK SERIES**  
COMING UP:  
Louisville 225  
WHERE: Louisville (Ky.) Motor Speedway  
WHEN: Saturday, Aug. 29  
**DEFENDING CHAMPION:** Ron Hornaday  
**EVENT QUALIFYING RECORD:** Jimmy Hensley, Dodge, 103.160 mph, July 11, 1997

**RACE RECORD:** Ron Hornaday, Chevrolet, 68.358 mph, July 12, 1997  
**OTHER FORMER WINNERS:** Hornaday has won the last two races here.

**NOTABLE:** Jon Rutman has been in the top five in all three races here.

## YOUR TURN

Letters from Our Readers

Dear NASCAR This Week:  
My son is a senior at the University of Central Florida in Orlando, Fla. He is a major in design engineering and is extremely interested in working for a NASCAR team or in racing in some capacity.

Where would he write, or who can he contact to inquire about job opportunities?

Marti Tomlinson  
Punta Gorda, Fla.

Dear Marti:  
This is a very competitive industry and just as actors move to New York and musicians to Nashville, those interested in stock car racing, be they drivers, mechanics or even journalists and public relations representatives, gravitate to the Charlotte area where most of the teams are located. I would suggest you answer, but the best way for your son to get a job in NASCAR is to come to Charlotte and pass some resumes around in person. He might have to take another job to make ends meet until he can find a job in racing, but there is no substitute to being near the heartbeat of the sport.

Dear NASCAR This Week:  
I'm concerned about Dale Earnhardt. Is he having a bad year, or a bad year on purpose? I have noticed that he hasn't been doing [well] since the Daytona 500, his last win. Do you think it's possible he doesn't want to win?

Samantha Blaund  
Campbellsville, Ky.

Dear Samantha,  
Not a chance.

If you've got a question or a comment, write: NASCAR This Week Your Turn, c/o The Gaston Gazette, 2500 E. Franklin Blvd., Gastonia, N.C. 28045

**CREW OF THE WEEK**  
■ Despite Mark Martin being distracted by the death of his father, stepmother and half-sister the last two weeks, he has finished fourth and first. Give the credit to Jimmy Fennig's team for keeping the car on a rail.

After leaving the Wood Brothers, Michael Waltrip is confident about his future.

By Mark Anderson

NASCAR This Week

Before the Bristol race, Michael Waltrip announced that he and the Wood Brothers would end a three-year partnership after this race.

Waltrip, the younger brother of Darrell Waltrip, finished 14th and 18th in points the last two seasons, and he is 15th this year. His only Winston Cup victory in 13 seasons was the 1996 Winston all-star race, a non-points event.

Waltrip drove the Pennzoil Pontiac for Chuck Rider from 1987 to 1995. He posted his career-best finish (second) at Pocono in 1988.

The Wood Brothers, who began fielding Cup cars in 1953 and have 96 victories, also have been struggling. They have two wins since 1987 (Dale Jarrett in '91 and Morgan Shepherd in '93), and they have one top-five with Waltrip in 85 starts.

**HOMETOWN:** Owensboro, Ky., now lives in Sherman Ford, N.C.

AGE: 35

**FAMILY:** Wife Elizabeth "Buffy"; children Caitlin Marie, 8, and Margaret Carol, 11 months

**CAR:** No. 21 Citgo Ford

**CAREER RECORD:** 383 starts, no wins, two poles, 16 top fives, 77 top 10s

**CAREER EARNINGS:** \$7,534,671 (Aug. 23, 1998)

**HOW DID THE DECISION TO LEAVE THE WOOD BROTHERS COME ABOUT?**

"It was a fairly easy decision to make. We had agreed a couple months ago that I would come back and drive the car in '99. I signed a letter of intent at Indianapolis. Then we ran terrible and then went to Watkins Glen and ran terrible. We've been in the same place (in points) for three years, and we were probably better three years ago. There's not a lot of growth when that happens."

"It hasn't been Eddie (Wood) and Len's fault. They've spent a lot of money and done a lot of good things. We should be getting better."

but we just weren't, so you have to try to figure out why that is. A lot of times it comes down to communication and that word you hear every day — chemistry.

"We think maybe now that we've done this, maybe we'll be better. Maybe it will spark something that will make us work harder and do better."

**WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR YOUR FUTURE AND THE FUTURE OF THE WOOD BROTHERS?**

"I'm just talking to people and seeing what the best opportunity out there is for me. I never have really been in this position before. There are so many times in my career I just wish I would have been smart enough or confident enough maybe to take a chance and I wasn't. That's kind of what this is all about. I'm confident now and if it doesn't work out, it wasn't meant to work out."

"I don't know what will happen with the Wood Brothers, whether Matt (Kenseth) will drive a car or whether they will get another driver or what."

### AROUND THE GARAGE

**Waltrip, Martin say Gordon doesn't deserve the boos**

By Mark Anderson

NASCAR This Week

BRISTOL, Tenn. — Darrell Waltrip hasn't been in Winston Cup's top 10 in five seasons, but he's too old to remember when he was the "Jeff Gordon" of the circuit.

In the early 1980s, Waltrip dominated everything. In 1981, he won eight races from the pole, including four in a row!

He also knows what it's like to be booted away by a majority of race fans.

"Heck, at drive introductions in the '80s, there was a time when I would step up to the mike and say, 'Boo if you love DW!' Waltrip said. "Now that would quiet them up."

"But there's a bit of difference from when I was living through it. Nine out of 10 times, I would bring it up myself with things I would say or do. Jeff's a good young Christian gentleman. He hasn't done anything to deserve this."

"Human nature is to root for the underdog ... Once that underdog starts winning all the time, then the fans move on to someone else and you become the target of their resentment even though you are doing what they originally wanted you to do — win."

Gordon also received support from Mark Martin after Martin won at Bristol. As usual, Gordon had been booted all weekend.

"In a lot of ways, I'm a Jeff Gordon fan," Martin said. "I approve of the way he lives his life, the way he drives, the way he conducts himself and everything else. He's a fine fellow, and it hurts me to hear him booted because he's so good."

### BATTLING AT BRISTOL:

As usual, tempers flared more than once in short-track action at Bristol.

The Busch Grand National race saw 10 cautions, and almost all of the points leaders were damaged.

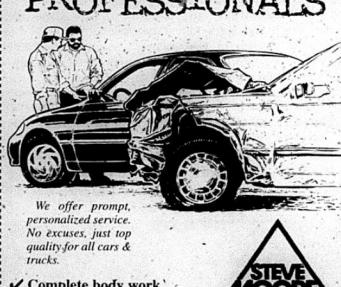
The biggest wreck was a nine-car affair. Dale Jarrett led by more than a straightaway when the caution flew for Shane Hall's spin on lap 235. On the restart, Jarrett pulled away while the second- and third-place cars, Robert Pressley and Tony Stewart, fought to get by the lapped car of Buckshot Jones.

Pressley and Jones banged coming out of turn four, setting off a nine-car pileup on the frontstretch. Pressley's car caught fire (he escaped), and Stewart and Elton Sawyer were also collected.

"Buckshot Jones, that's all I can say," Pressley said. "Sheer stupidity. I've heard them call him stupid before, and I didn't know why, now I know."

Jones said: "Once I knew I couldn't get my lap back, I held my bottom line and slowed up to let Robert and the guys go by. I can't help it if someone comes back down on me."

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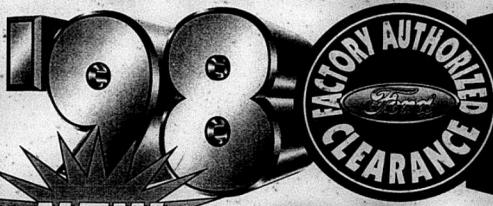
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# An Important Message for Voters

Tony Masiolotti  
Royal Palm Beach

Dear Friends and Neighbors:

As a candidate for County Commissioner, I am writing you today to express my disappointment in the last-minute political tactics used by my opponent and his supporters which really boil down to the same old dirty politics that we are all disgusted with.

When a person runs for public office in this day and age, he expects a certain amount of "mud" to be slung at them. However, in this case, my opponent and his supporters have sunk to an all-time low, even for Palm Beach County.

They have looked over my voting record for the past four terms as Mayor and couldn't find anything to use against me except that I have lowered our tax rate, promoted neighborhood schools, increased our parks and created nature preserves. So they engaged in a brutal campaign to discredit and personally embarrass me time and again. As part of their attack, they even got their supporter, Mary McCarty, to file a bogus complaint with the State Attorney's office, claiming that I wasn't doing business with her husband's bond company because she was supporting my opponent. But she hid the fact that her husband's company was increasing the interests costs to the taxpayers of Royal Palm Beach by over \$12 million.

When that didn't work, they resorted to hiring a private investigator to try and dig up more mud. He had to go back all the way to the 1980s to find that I had a speeding ticket that I went to traffic school for, and that I lawfully evicted a tenant roommate who later made ridiculous statements which were proven to be false. And if that wasn't enough, they tried to have me disqualified by claiming I didn't fill out a form properly.

All of this has been a smoke screen to get us off the issues, mislead the public and cast doubt on my record of getting the job done for the residents of our area. But the most disgraceful affect of their negative campaign has been the needless pain they have inflicted on my wife and children.

I remain confident that the voters of our district are intelligent enough to see through this smoke screen and recognize their personal attacks for what they are - dirty politics. For our sake we need to stick to the issues of getting neighborhood schools and parks, increasing police and fire protection, reducing tax rates and protecting our quality of life. With your support on Sept. 1, I can get these done at the county level just as I have in Royal Palm Beach.

Sincerely,

Tony

Tony Masiolotti

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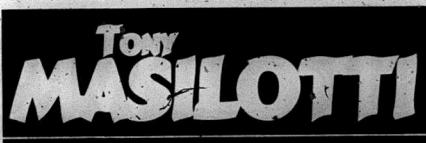
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Human Resources Dept.

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING OF LANDOWNER'S EAST BEACH WATER CONTROL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of EAST BEACH WATER CONTROL DISTRICT, a public meeting will be held at the office of said District, at Belle Glade, Palm Beach County, Florida, on Monday, August 24, 1998, at 1:30 P.M. in the afternoon for the purpose of:

1. Elected Supervisor of a term of three years.

2. Receiving annual reports and taking such action as may determine and the landowners may determine; and

3. Transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

If a person decides to appeal the decision of the Board of Supervisors with respect to any matter decided at this meeting, he or she must file a written appeal with the Board of Supervisors within 30 days of the pronouncement made, which record includes the name and address upon which the appeal is made.

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